

Turkey River Basin Flood Seminar
1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Thursday, June 14, 2012

Opera House, 400 Mill Street, Clermont, IA

- 1:00-1:10: Introductions and Seminar Overview
- 1:10-1:30: Turkey River Basin Overview and Recent Flooding Events
Mike Welvaert, National Weather Service Forecast Office, La Crosse, WI
- 1:30-1:50: USGS Operations in the Turkey River Basin and Cooperative Gaging Program
Jon Nania, US Geological Survey, Iowa City, IA
- 1:50-2:20: River Forecasting Procedures & Techniques for Northeast IA River Basins
Steve Buan/Mark Ziemer, North Central River Forecast Center, Chanhassen, MN
- Break
- 2:30-2:50: Iowa Stream Gauge Sensor Network
Witold Krajewski, Iowa Flood Center, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA
- 2:50-3:10: Local Impacts and Actions of the Flooding
Randy Frank, Fayette County; **Bruce Goetsch**, Winneshiek County;
Joel Biggs, Clayton County; **Ken Raising**, Chickasaw County;
& **Darrell Knecht**, Howard County
- 3:10-3:30: The State Role in Disaster Response
Joyce Flinn, Iowa Homeland Security Emergency Management, Des Moines, IA
- 3:30-3:45: Other local user groups in the Turkey Basin
- * **Brad Crawford**, Turkey River Watershed Project
 - * **Scott Ralston/Chris Kahle**, Iowa Department of Natural Resources
 - * Natural Resources Conservation Service
 - * Department of Transportation / Highway Departments
 - * Canoe Rental / Campgrounds / Other Businesses
 - * Trout Fisheries
 - * Others?
- 3:45-4:00: Summary and Discussion of the Future....